

# SOPEEC

## **STANDARDIZATION OF POWER ENGINEER EXAMINATIONS COMMITTEE**

### **Implementation of the Revised 1st Class Syllabus**

On September 01, 2006, a [revised First Class syllabus](#) for Power Engineering examinations will become effective.

This revised First Class syllabus will bring about a major change in the layout of the examinations.

This change is so substantial that examination papers already successfully completed can not be Integrated into the revised Standardized First Class program.

To assist in this transition, the examinations for both the old and revised First class syllabi will be available concurrently for 5 (five) years. By the end of August 2011, the old First class syllabus will be removed. This will give examination candidates, who have already successfully completed at least one examination paper under the old First Class Syllabus, ample time to finish up their examinations and earn their certificate.

There will be a transition period from September 01, 2006 to February 28, 2007.

During this transition period, candidates will have the option of starting examinations under either the old syllabus or revised syllabus. By March 01, 2007, all applicants who have not successfully completed at least one examination paper under the old syllabus will have to write their examinations under the revised syllabus format.

If you have any comments, concerns, or questions please feel free to contact the SOPEEC Coordinator at [yeung@absa.ca](mailto:yeung@absa.ca), or by phone at (780)433-0281 ext.3318.

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